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PATENT
Attorney's Docket No. 1232-4494

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s) : Seiya OHTA Group Art Unit: 2615
Serial No : 09/211,132 Examiner: GENCO, B. C.
Filed : December 14, 1998
For : OPTICAL EQUIPMENT AND ITS CONTROL METHOD, AND
COMPUTER-READABLE STORAGE MEDIUM

PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a))

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Sir:

1. This is a petition for an extension of time for responding to the Advisory Action dated September 17, 2003, and final Office Action dated May 28, 2003, in the above-identified application.

2. The communication in connection with the matter for which this extension is requested

☒ is filed herewith.

☐ has been filed on ____.

3. ☐ Applicant(s) is/are entitled to Small Entity Status.

☐ Statement has already been filed

4.	Total Months Requested	Fee for Other than Small Entity	Fee for Small Entity
a. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	one month	\$110.00	\$55.00
b. <input type="checkbox"/>	two months	\$410.00	\$205.00
c. <input type="checkbox"/>	three months	\$930.00	\$465.00
d. <input type="checkbox"/>	four months	\$1,450.00	\$725.00
e. <input type="checkbox"/>	five months	\$1,970.00	\$985.00
f. <input type="checkbox"/>	An extension for ____ months has already been secured for filing the above-identified communication and the fee paid therefor of \$ ____ is deducted from the total fee due for the total months of extension now requested. The fee for this extension (\$ ____), minus the fee previously paid (\$ ____), equals \$ ____ (total fee due).		

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5. ☒ A check in the amount of \$110.00 to cover the extension fee is attached.
6. ☐ Charge fee to Deposit Account No. _____, Order No. _____. A DUPLICATE COPY OF THIS SHEET IS ATTACHED.
7. ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required by this paper, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 13-4503, Order No. 1232-4494.

Respectfully submitted,
MORGAN & FINNEGAN, L.L.P.

Dated: September 29, 2003

By: _____

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